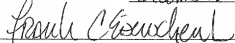


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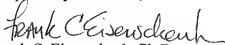
Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the reference listed on the attached form PTO/SB/08 is being brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. However, Applicants have not submitted a copy of the published U.S. Patent Application cited on attached Form PTO/SB/08 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(ii).

It is respectfully requested that the reference cited on the attached form PTO/SB/08 be considered in the examination of the subject application and that its consideration be made of record.

Applicants respectfully assert that the substantive provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 are met by the foregoing statement.

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